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equipment under extreme pressure or heat.

Subpart M [Reserved]

Subpart N—Glass Production

§98.140 Definition of the source category.

- (a) A glass manufacturing facility manufactures flat glass, container glass, pressed and blown glass, or wool fiberglass by melting a mixture of raw materials to produce molten glass and form the molten glass into sheets, containers, fibers, or other shapes. A glass manufacturing facility uses one or more continuous glass melting furnaces to produce glass.
- (b) A glass melting furnace that is an experimental furnace or a research and development process unit is not subject to this subpart.

§ 98.141 Reporting threshold.

You must report GHG emissions under this subpart if your facility contains a glass production process and the facility meets the requirements of either §98.2(a)(1) or (2).

§ 98.142 GHGs to report.

You must report:

- (a) CO_2 process emissions from each continuous glass melting furnace.
- (b) CO₂ combustion emissions from each continuous glass melting furnace.
- (c) CH_4 and N_2O combustion emissions from each continuous glass melting furnace. You must calculate and report these emissions under subpart C of this part (General Stationary Fuel Combustion Sources) by following the requirements of subpart C.
- (d) CO_2 , CH_4 , and $\mathrm{N}_2\mathrm{O}$ emissions from each stationary fuel combustion unit other than continuous glass melting furnaces. You must report these emissions under subpart C of this part (General Stationary Fuel Combustion Sources) by following the requirements of subpart C.

§ 98.143 Calculating GHG emissions.

You must calculate and report the annual process CO_2 emissions from each continuous glass melting furnace

using the procedure in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this section.

- (a) For each continuous glass melting furnace that meets the conditions specified in $\S98.33(b)(4)(ii)$ or (iii), you must calculate and report under this subpart the combined process and combustion CO_2 emissions by operating and maintaining a CEMS to measure CO_2 emissions according to the Tier 4 Calculation Methodology specified in $\S98.33(a)(4)$ and all associated requirements for Tier 4 in subpart C of this part (General Stationary Fuel Combustion Sources).
- (b) For each continuous glass melting furnace that is not subject to the requirements in paragraph (a) of this section, calculate and report the process and combustion CO_2 emissions from the glass melting furnace by using either the procedure in paragraph (b)(1) of this section or the procedure in paragraphs (b)(2) through (b)(7) of this section, except as specified in paragraph (c) of this section.
- (1) Calculate and report under this subpart the combined process and combustion CO_2 emissions by operating and maintaining a CEMS to measure CO_2 emissions according to the Tier 4 Calculation Methodology specified in $\S 98.33(a)(4)$ and all associated requirements for Tier 4 in subpart C of this part (General Stationary Fuel Combustion Sources).
- (2) Calculate and report the process and combustion CO_2 emissions separately using the procedures specified in paragraphs (b)(2)(i) through (b)(2)(vi) of this section.
- (i) For each carbonate-based raw material charged to the furnace, obtain from the supplier of the raw material the carbonate-based mineral mass fraction
- (ii) Determine the quantity of each carbonate-based raw material charged to the furnace.
- (iii) Apply the appropriate emission factor for each carbonate-based raw material charged to the furnace, as shown in Table N-1 to this subpart.
- (iv) Use Equation N-1 of this section to calculate process mass emissions of CO_2 for each furnace:

$$E_{CO2} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} MF_i \cdot \left(M_i \cdot \frac{2000}{2205} \right) \cdot EF_i \cdot F_i \qquad (Eq. N-1)$$

Where:

 E_{CO2} = Process emissions of CO_2 from the furnace (metric tons).

n = Number of carbonate-based raw materials charged to furnace.

 $\mathrm{MF_{i}}=\mathrm{Annual}$ average mass fraction of carbonate-based mineral i in carbonate-based raw material i (percentage, expressed as a decimal).

 M_i = Annual amount of carbonate-based raw material i charged to furnace (tons).

2000/2205 = Conversion factor to convert tons to metric tons.

 $\mathrm{EF_{i}}=\mathrm{Emission}$ factor for carbonate-based raw material i (metric ton $\mathrm{CO_{2}}$ per metric ton carbonate-based raw material as shown in Table N-1 to this subpart).

 F_i = Fraction of calcination achieved for carbonate-based raw material i, assumed to be equal to 1.0 (percentage, expressed as a decimal).

(v) You must calculate the total process CO_2 emissions from continuous glass melting furnaces at the facility using Equation N-2 of this section:

$$CO_2 = \sum_{i=1}^{k} E_{CO_2 i}$$
 (Eq. N-2)

Where:

 $ext{CO}_2 = ext{Annual process } ext{CO}_2 ext{ emissions from glass manufacturing facility (metric tons).}$ $ext{E}_{ ext{CO}2i} = ext{Annual } ext{CO}_2 ext{ emissions from glass melting furnace i (metric tons).}$

k = Number of continuous glass melting furnaces.

(vi) Calculate and report under subpart C of this part (General Stationary Fuel Combustion Sources) the combustion $\rm CO_2$ emissions in the glass furnace according to the applicable requirements in subpart C.

(c) As an alternative to data provided by the raw material supplier, a value of 1.0 can be used for the mass fraction (MF_i) of carbonate-based mineral i in Equation N-1 of this section.

§ 98.144 Monitoring and QA/QC requirements.

(a) You must measure annual amounts of carbonate-based raw materials charged to each continuous glass melting furnace from monthly meas-

urements using plant instruments used for accounting purposes, such as calibrated scales or weigh hoppers. Total annual mass charged to glass melting furnaces at the facility shall be compared to records of raw material purchases for the year.

(b) You must measure carbonatebased mineral mass fractions at least annually to verify the mass fraction data provided by the supplier of the raw material; such measurements shall be based on sampling and chemical analysis using ASTM D3682-01 (Reapproved 2006) Standard Test Method for Major and Minor Elements in Combustion Residues from Coal Utilization Processes (incorporated by reference, see §98.7) or ASTM D6349-09 Standard Test Method for Determination of Major and Minor Elements in Coal, Coke, and Solid Residues from Combustion of Coal and Coke by Inductively Coupled Plasma—Atomic Emission Spectrometry (incorporated by reference, see § 98.7).

(c) You must determine the annual average mass fraction for the carbonate-based mineral in each carbonate-based raw material by calculating an arithmetic average of the monthly data obtained from raw material suppliers or sampling and chemical analysis.

(d) You must determine on an annual basis the calcination fraction for each carbonate consumed based on sampling and chemical analysis using an industry consensus standard. This chemical analysis must be conducted using an x-ray fluorescence test or other enhanced testing method published by an industry consensus standards organization (e.g., ASTM, ASME, API, etc.).

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§ 98.145 Procedures for estimating missing data.

A complete record of all measured parameters used in the GHG emissions calculations is required (e.g., carbonate